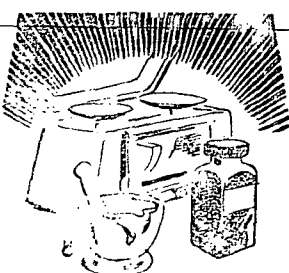


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## Desperation Raised School Bond Money Virtually Untapped This Year

School bond money raised in desperation last spring may go virtually untapped for a year. Voters approved a \$100 million bond issue for the state to back up loans for hard-pressed school districts flooded with new students. The idea was to finance everything a school district could not handle in the way of building projects above the 13-mill ceiling imposed by the constitutional amendment. With the research in 31 areas completed, and the bills drafted, the function is changing. "We need a group to actively promote the proposal in the legislature," said Senator Frank Andrews (R-Hillman), chairman of the retiring group. The legislature went along with the idea. The new Little Hoover committee will stay with the findings and recommendations of its parent group, concentrating on putting them into state law. Major reforms never adopted but proposed and debated in sessions since 1950, include abolishing the auditor general's office and creating a legislative auditor, making the post of superintendent of public instruction appointive instead of elective. "I feel the groups have made important contributions to the welfare of the state," Andrews said. "Now we should get as many as possible into effect."

Republicans have created a party promotional scheme to fight off Democratic inroads in the legislature. A special five-member committee of Republican senators has been appointed to help out in 1956 campaigns in districts where Democratic nominees are threatening. The committee was named in the face of fresh attempts by liberals to change the apportionment of legislative seats. Under the present system, the Senate is elected according to areas of land and the House on a qualified basis of population. In theory, outstate Republicans will hold the Senate, the city Democrats the House. Democrats have always maintained that the entire legislature should be apportioned on the basis of population, a situation that would give urban areas control. Republicans figure districts are plus people — is the fairest. The Republican committee will work in marginal districts. "We plan to get money to help from the Republican State Central Committee," said Senator Crockett R. Coleman (R-Battle Creek).

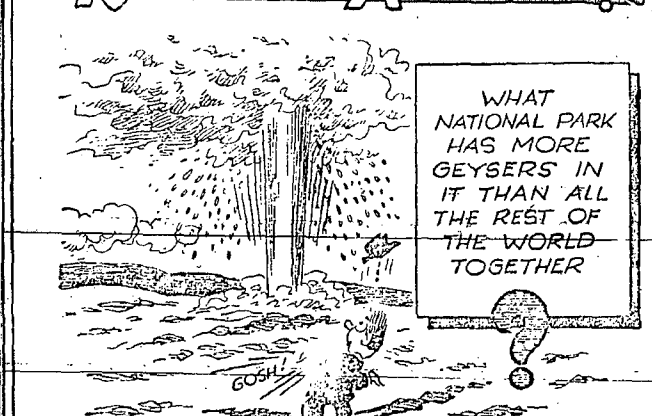
Legislators Seeking Answers to pressing problems of the state are fanning out into 32 summer investigations financed by \$121,000. The result will be ready for the 1956 session when many of the inquiries will give birth to bills. Some of the investigative committees are old, like the group studying Michigan's draining and flood-control, highways, higher education and debt management. But others are tapping new fields for the first time, including juvenile delinquency, the plight of caring for mentally retarded persons. The list includes a study of the retirement system for public employees, the problem of migrant workers, school aid and teacher salaries and labor-management relations. This year a sharp change in the "Little Hoover" commission, formed



**MR. HERBERT HOOVER**, at age 81 is retiring again from public life, this time on his own. In so doing the Commission which he headed filed its final reports, and is now officially out of business. When Mr. Hoover was retired from public office in 1932, he maintained that despite the election results then, he was right. Today his Commission, the Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government, filed reports seeking to eliminate many departments and functions of the federal government established under the New Deal of President Roosevelt, and the Fair Deal of President Truman. And today Mr. Hoover still thinks he is right in eliminating these governmental functions and returning to a so-called "little" federal government. However there is a paradoxical significance there somewhere. The first Hoover Commission established under President Truman was charged with ferreting out waste and extravagance in the executive branch of the government. And the Congress adopted more than 75% of the recommendations of this first Hoover commission. However the second Hoover commission was given added power to suggest policy changes in the government, wherein Mr. Hoover claims the taxpayers will save billions of dollars. Here's where the paradox comes. Congress is willing to eliminate waste and extravagance, and did so in accepting most of the recommendations of the first Hoover Commission. However Congress seems to have little confidence in Mr. Hoover when it comes to establishing policy, and is if any, of the recommendations of this second commission likely will ever be adopted. Even the Eisenhower administration, while heaping praise on Mr. Hoover, has carefully refrained from making any solid commitments on the policy changes suggested by Mr. Hoover's commission. It can be said, however that despite the failure of Mr. Hoover's own administration to stem the tide of inflation and depression, and the tremendous record of social and economic gains which have been made since his time in the White House, he remains consistent in his views and the principles in which he believes, popular or not.

President Eisenhower's Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, which two years ago was inaugurated with much fanfare with Fat Manion, Indiana Democrat chairman, has filed its report. It is a good report, but it lets the states and the states rights folks down with a dull thud. After Manion was fired by President Eisenhower, for opposing the Administration policy against the Bricker amendment which would curtail the President's treaty making authority, the President named Chicagoan Meyer Keenbaum, chairman of the Board of the Committee for Economic Development, as chairman. Mr. Eisenhower in his congressional message setting up the Intergovernmental Relations Commission, sought a sounder relation between the states and the federal government. But in his campaign he had promised to cut down big federal government and return to the states duties and responsibilities taken over by the federal government, and particularly to eliminate duplication in the fields of taxation.

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## La. Carlson Graduates From Army Course

Fort Belvoir, Va. — Second Lt. Russell B. Carlson, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell A. Carlson, 607 Lake St. Grayling, Mich., recently was graduated from the ten-week equipment maintenance officers' course at The Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Va. The course taught officers maintenance, repairs and operation of heavy construction equipment. Lieutenant Carlson entered the Army in February 1953 and received basic training at Fort Belvoir. He was graduated from Michigan College of Mining and Technology, Houghton, Mich., in 1954. He is a member of the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity. He was employed by the city of Saginaw, Mich., as a civil engineer. His wife, Barbara, lives in Alexandria, Va.

## To Vote On Market Data

The U. S. Department of Agriculture today announced that through ballots cast not later than August 19, producers will vote in a referendum to decide whether or not an agreement providing for advanced promotional and related market development activities on wool and lambs under Section 708 of the National Wool Act of 1954 will be put into effect. The agreement between the recently-organized American Sheep Producers Council and the Secretary of Agriculture provides for deductions from wool incentive and lamb and yearling sheep (pulled wool compensating) payments made to producers under the National Wool Act of 1954. These deductions will provide a means of financing the market development program. Before the agreement can be put into effect, producers owning at least two-thirds of the sheep and lambs represented by voters in the referendum must vote their approval. If the agreement is approved, the deduction from payments for the 1955 incentive program, to be made in the summer of 1956 will be 1 cent per pound from shorn wool payments and 5 cents per hundred pounds of live weight from lamb and yearling payments. The payments will be used by the American Sheep Producers Council for advertising, promotional and related activities designed to enlarge or improve the market for products of the industry. Producers who have owned sheep or lambs for at least 30 days any time since January 1, 1954, will be eligible to vote. Because deductions would be made from both shorn wool and lamb and yearling payments, the volume of production for this referendum will be based on the number of sheep and lambs owned and older owned during any one 30-day period since January 1. The number of sheep and lambs will be noted on the ballot by each producer and the ballot will be signed by him. Ballots will be accepted by county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Officers through Friday, August 19. Ballots were mailed to all known Wool Growers on July 27, 1955. If anyone having sheep did not receive a ballot, please call at the ASC Office and get your ballot.

**Golf Club News**  
Eleven ladies were guests of the Gaylord Golf Club Auxiliary on Tuesday, July 26th. Those attending were: Mrs. Esbern Olson; Mrs. Lorne Douglas; Mrs. Carl Richardson; Mrs. J. E. Strong; Mrs. Leigh Litchfield; Mrs. Rex Rick; Mrs. B. E. Hennig; Mrs. Helen Gilbert; Mrs. William Zmstkowski; Mrs. Holger Hanson and Mrs. Don Leslie. Cards were played following a one o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Hanson and Mrs. Litchfield won prizes.

At the regular meeting of the card tournament held Monday evening at the club house, Mrs. Frank Bond held high score and Mrs. Esbern Olson low.

**Lake Margrethe Water Level**  
(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)  
Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date:  
Water level, July 28, '55, 1133.84 ft.  
Water level, July 28, '54, 1133.88 ft.  
Maximum level for period of record, April 5, '43, 1135.39 ft.  
Minimum level for period of record, Sept. 24-27, '48, 1133.57 ft.

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## Bis O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Battle Creek arrived Sunday to spend a few days visiting his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox. Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau spent last Thursday in Alpena visiting their wife, Mrs. Robert Martindale, and also Mrs. William Hall. They accompanied Mrs. Darveau's sister, Mrs. Will Masters, home from her visit there. Jack Welsh and Jerry Cameron of Detroit left Saturday the 23rd to attend Camp Hayo-Went-Ha on Torch Lake for a month. Mrs. Lester Welch and Mrs. Florence Cameron accompanied their sons to the camp. Mrs. Frank Bowen of Doster, daughter of Mrs. Bertha Williams visited her mother and sisters, Mrs. Elberta Lutz, and Mrs. Harry Worden of Mio from July 4th until the 24th. Mrs. Bowen returned home with her husband, two daughters, Lois and Kathleen and son, Vincent and a friend, after spending three weeks here. Mr. and Mrs. James Williams of Flint spent the week-end of the 23rd visiting his mother, Mrs. Bertha Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowen, and Mrs. Bertha Williams called on the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman Saturday the 23rd, returning home by the way of the fire stricken area around Luzerne. The remaining three members of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartman, Fred Hartman, Mary Hitchcock and Mrs. Bertha Williams and relatives held a family reunion July 31st at the home of the Avery Babcocks in Roscommon County. Mr. and Mrs. Notter Vander Meulen of Okemos spent the week-end visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Schiabe, Jr. Miss Suzanne Hayes left last Wednesday for Camp Huntington, Walloon Lake, where she will spend a month. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Robert Hayes, and grandmother, Mrs. Claude Keyport. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skingley and family of Plymouth are spending two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley. Last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skingley visited the Ernle Roka's in Traverse City. Mrs. Benny Smith and family of Lansing is spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith. Mrs. Nelson Vollmer of Dearborn arrived last weekend to spend the week visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gallagher and four sons of Flint spent the week-end of the 23rd visiting Mrs. Manford McClanahan. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and three daughters of Detroit spent last week visiting his mother and brother, Mrs. Amelia Smith and George. Mr. Smith is building a cabin here. Mrs. Tracy Nelson is in Flint due to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Dave White. Mrs. Floyd Wiley and Mrs. Manford McClanahan were hostesses of a surprise birthday party at the Wiley home on July 22nd for Mrs. Leslie Hunter. A lovely lunch of cake and ice cream was served to a group of twelve ladies. Mrs. Hunter received a beautiful gift from the group. A/3C Larry Ashton left Monday for California after spending a thirty day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ashton. Larry is leaving California for Johnson Island in the South Pacific.

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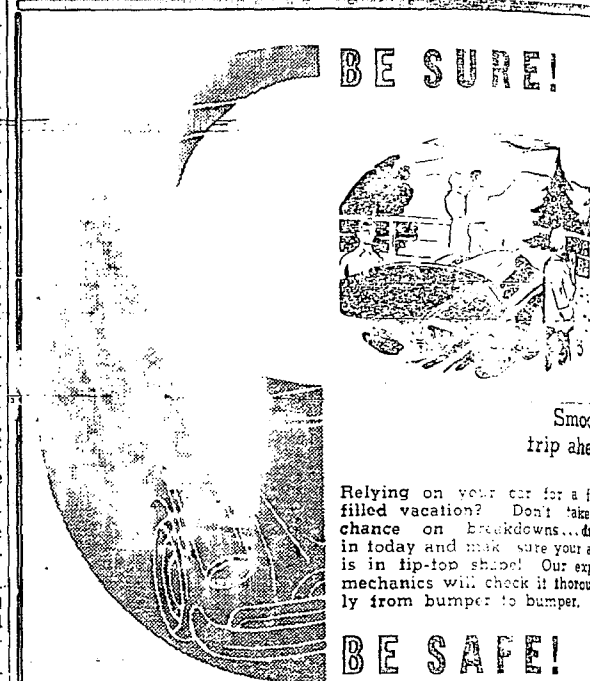
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## Centennial of Farm Mechanization...

Between August 15th and 20th the Centennial of farm mechanization will be observed at Michigan State University in East Lansing. It will be the largest and most comprehensive exposition of past, present and future farm mechanization achievements ever to be presented. It will cover over 60 acres of the college campus, and the exhibits are valued at some \$20,000,000. More than 250,000 visitors are expected. A world's fair atmosphere will prevail.

Combine harvesters and threshers will be seen in action. The exhibition in farm machinery from the crooked sickle to the hydraulically operated plow will be shown, along with railway cars designed especially for agricultural products and a complete display of electrical operated farm equipment. There will be exhibits detailing the great roles of oil, chemicals and steel in agriculture. And the farm wife will get an eyeful too, when she sees the transition in kitchens that have taken place in the last century, the oldest and newest sewing, and cleaning equipment, miraculous developments in lighting, and other such displays.

It is certainly fitting that the centennial of farm mechanization should be so dramatically observed. As resident Hannah of Michigan State University has said, the exposition "will present the saga of how the mechanization of agriculture has helped to make possible our American way of life. It will demonstrate how agricultural mechanization and other applications of science to agriculture have released millions of our people from the job of producing food and fiber, and freed their efforts for the tasks of providing the goods and services which enrich our modern life." It will commemorate, in short, a vast revolution which has worked for the direct welfare of every American.

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**Chain Saws** — Tomelita, Lombard and Titan Chain Saw Sales and Service. Chain saws for rent. Clare Madsen, Grayling. Phone 2563. 1-1-11

**GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET** — For sale or rent. Inquire at Long's Market. 8-4-11

**FOR SALE** — 40 gallon oil hot water heater. Call 3566. 4-11

**BOOMING BUSINESS** makes opening available for responsible man or woman with car to call on farm women in Crawford County. Full or spare time. Opportunity to make \$40.00 a day. Write McNess Company, 120 E. Clark St. Freeport, Illinois. 4-11

**RUBBER STAMPS AND PADS** — Also line daters. Avalanche Office. 1-1-11

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**BOY'S BICYCLE FOR SALE** — Contact Don at McEvers Motor Sales. 4-11

**FOR RENT** — 30 foot modern house trailer. Sleeps five. Has TV. Call 4406 or Inquire 604 Michigan Ave. 4-11

**MARRIED MAN**, 41, Wants steady employment in Grayling area. Contact, Box 94, Holly, Mich. 4-11

**FOR SALE** — MODEL A FORD Pickup. Phone 4132. 4-11-18-25

**DINING TABLE** and chairs. Frigidaire, gas stove, bed, qt. fruit jars, for sale. Mrs. Esther Herlick, Ing. Pete's Standard Station, Lovells. 4-11

**FOR SALE** — 1941 CHEVROLET Tudor. Mrs. Clement Blaine. 4-11

**WANTED** — ALL KINDS of pulpwood or mixed or 8' unpeeled. East Jordan Auto Parts, East Jordan, Mich. 4-11

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**Mr. and Mrs. Russell Caid** and grandson Larry McKay have returned to their home in Detroit after spending a three weeks vacation here.

**Eric Koernke** and Jim Rogers were weekend guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gus Koernke.

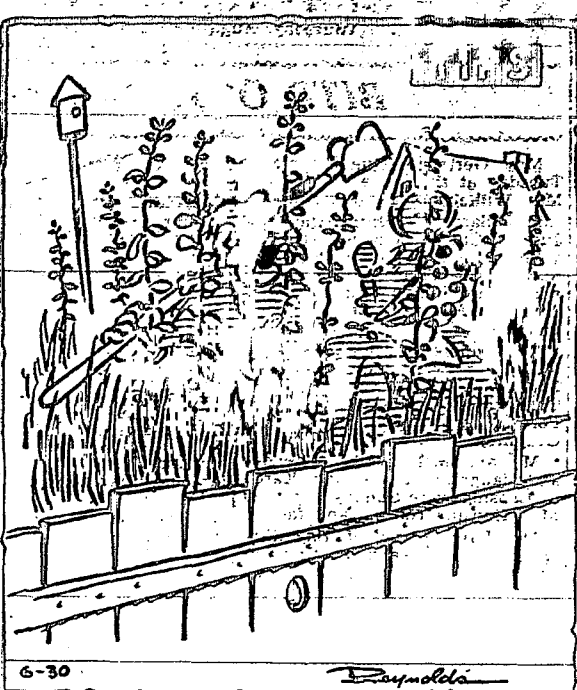
**Mr. and Mrs. Al Proulx** and family spent their vacation with her mother Mrs. Bessie Kellogg.

The annual Silver Tea will be held at the Ladies Club Room, August 11th, 2:00 to 4:00. There will be a program and apron sale. All are cordially invited. This is for the benefit of our Chapel.

The Chapel Guild will meet with Mrs. Emma Stillwagon, August 9th, at Sun Set Banks for a one o'clock luncheon.

James Husted called on his sister Mrs. Martha Douglas, on Sunday. Margaret Husted returned to her home at West Branch with him, after spending several days here.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet Thursday evening, August 4th. We hope for a good turn out.



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**Michelson Memorial Church News**  
Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Puffer left Tuesday for a vacation in Canada. In the absence of the pastor, the pulpit will be occupied by Mr. Frank Peters, well-known layman of Gaylord. At Sunday morning's service the congregation witnessed the baptism of Wayne Keith, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Austin of East Lansing. Mr. Austin's baptismal rite preceded that of his son, who is the grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. William Jensen.

The Building Committee held an organization meeting after the morning service at which time Mr. George Griffiths was officially named chairman of the committee, and plans were made to proceed immediately with a program of reconditioning and redecorating the present building.

A subcommittee of the Commission on Evangelism met Monday and discussed plans for a county-wide church census to be carried on in the fall.

A group of the officers of W. S. C. S. attended a seminar at Gaylord last Thursday to receive instruction in duties for the coming year. Those in attendance were Mrs. Don Gothro, Mrs. J. L. Martin, Mrs. Matt Edson, Mrs. Dale Pettengill, Mrs. O. E. Williamson and Mrs. R. A. Funck. A board meeting was scheduled for Tuesday evening for the purpose of planning the program for the coming year.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mathilda Bauman Circle will be held at the church on Friday at 2:00 p. m.

**Mercy Hospital News**  
Patients at Mercy Hospital this week include: Pamela Hunter, Patty Rohde, Elva Parker, Marie Hatfield, Randall Bailey, Josephine Bromwell, Johannes Peterson, and Clara Wolcott all of Grayling. David Stevens, Minnie McLaughlin, Ruth Mason, Ruth Westcott and Beatrice Zenker all of Atlanta. Richard Schumacher of Midland. Harold Wyckoff, Maxine Sargent, Lawrence DeVeau Jr., Lena Harvey, and Nancy Mead of Roscommon. Louis Jackson, Lyon Manor, Michael Davis, Lotte Gault, and Roy Schmitt of Houghton Lake. Elizabeth Chambers of Fort Myers Beach, Fla. Arne Kolmen of Detroit. Pansy Likela of Fremont. Virginia Love of Northville. Sophronia Mapes of Luzerne. Beatrice Nelson of Mancelona. Bernice Elizabeth Perry of Grand Blanc. Rexanne Schwab of Merritt. Marie Schwanke of Mt. Aired Schudler of Presburyville. Minnie Schwartz of Frederic. Sylvia Wardlow of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schanck of Mio announce the birth of a daughter on August 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sargent of Roscommon announced the birth of a son on July 31st.

**Legion Auxiliary News**  
The Grayling American Legion Auxiliary Unit 106 held its regular business and social meeting at the Grange Hall, Tuesday, July 25th. Six officers and ten members responded to roll call.

Karen Rasmussen, who was sent to Girls' State by the Auxiliary, gave a very interesting talk on her stay at Ann Arbor, while attending Girls' State. Karen also thanked the Auxiliary for giving her the chance to attend such an interesting meeting, and a chance to meet more new friends.

As this was a very hot night a show business and social meeting was held.

Pinochle and Bunco were played with prizes going to high and low in Pinochle. Tip Meyers and J. Gorman and high and low in Bunco. Lucille Thompson and Martha Smigen. The mystery prize was won by Beryl Moore. A very nice lunch of ice cream and cake, coffee and tea was served by the following committee: Beryl Moore, Martha Smigen, Jerry Math, Bessie Moore, Tip Meyers and Eva McRoy.

The Auxiliary will start having their meeting at the New Legion Hall and also will start having two meetings a month. Business meetings will be held on the 2nd Tuesday and Social meetings on the 4th Tuesday of each month.

The next meeting will be held at the new Legion Hall, Tuesday, August 9th, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Edith wishes to thank Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Mr. Erwin Wales, Mrs. Harold Hatfield, Mrs. Milo Case, Mrs. J. L. Martin, Mrs. Alvin Moore, Mrs. Ken Moore, Mrs. Harold Rasmussen, Mrs. Elsie Rasmussen, Mrs. Frank Math, Mrs. Grant Thompson, Mrs. Robert LaChapelle and Mrs. Edwin Pratt for their efforts on behalf of the TB mobile unit.

Margaret M. Balch, Publicity Chairman

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**Letters To The Editor**

Frederic, Aug. 1st, 1955  
I for one enjoy Jack Pine's breezy column. If he speaks his mind as he sees it, I guess we can take it. But of course it's not what we say it's how we say it. Some people can not endure to see the other side of things for fear they would change their minds. That stand is not fair and no good judge would stand for it. Anyhow Jack Pine has not been too rough, so we are glad to read his column.

Jack Pine and all, the north is beautiful.  
L. Flag

**Frederic News**  
Mr. and Mrs. Vance Horner and daughter Mary Sue of Detroit are spending a week here at their house trailer near the banks of the Ausable River.

Mr. Z. Rittenhouse of Coldwater called at the home of the C. S. Barbers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barber of Flint visited his grandparents the C. S. Barbers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fauver and family visited the Herb Nussens over the weekend.

Miss Betty Nelson and Miss Karen Gregerson of Melvindale arrived Friday night to take Karen's brother Harvey home.

Tim Gregerson and Frank Hartman are attending Bible camp at Rainbow Lake this week.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Missionary Group will be held at the parsonage, Thursday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

Miss Edith Payne of Flint spent the week at the home of her mother.

Mrs. Ella Ledford and daughter Mrs. Bessie Burnett of Bay City and her daughter Wanda also two lady friends and children of Louisville, Ky., called on Mrs. Raymond Brown and Mrs. Harry Horton last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gannon of Marquette visited her mother Mrs. A. Smock last week.

Mrs. Harry Horton received word of the birth of a new grandson, born July 19th at Edward Sparrow Hospital in Lansing to Shirley and John Rowell. He will be known as John Rowell. This is the 1st son born in the Rowell family.

Mrs. Ray Middleton and children returned Monday the 25th from Saginaw, Bay City and Detroit, visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Middleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heckathorn and sister Jeanne of Saginaw returned with them. Mr. Middleton's niece, Miss Edna Middleton of Bay City also is visiting here. They all went to Mackinaw City on Tuesday the 26th for the day.

Mrs. Lottie Wallace is spending a ten day vacation here with relatives.

Weekend guests of Mrs. M. E. Dunckley and Barbara Hinkle were Mr. and Mrs. William Hurst and family of Flushing and Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacGregor and family of Flint.

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sons of Flint. Also Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dunckley, and family of Detroit stopped to call on relatives on their way home from a vacation trip to Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Herzog of Owosso and Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Strouse of Wheeler are spending the week at their cottages here.

Pastor Weld officiated at the baptism of three young people in Jones Lake last Sunday. The brief service included prayer, singing of hymns, and a vocal duet by Nancy Post and Carol Papenrus, "Amazing Grace". The immersed upon profession of their personal faith in Christ were: Bonnie Pratt, Fred Allen and Paul Bradstreet.

Mrs. Norman Fisher celebrated her 87th birthday, July 28th. Her niece, Mrs. C. A. Southward and daughter Susan Milan surprised her by arriving that day for a visit.

**BROWNIE SCOUTS - FREDERIC**  
The song America and the Lord's Prayer opened the Brownie Scout meeting July 26th at Red Head Lake. Bathing with Mrs. Johnson as life guard and a picnic lunch were enjoyed by 13 scouts. A song "Let the Sun Shine In" was also taught to us. Guests at the outing included Sussie Klenner, Dicky Nugent and Danny Kelsey.

We also want to thank Mrs. Johnson for taking us and giving us such a lovely time.

**Frederic Boy Scout News**  
Gary Pippio and Maurice Alma became first class scouts before they went to camp. Wayne Barber, Freddie Allen, Neil Rouse were made first class while in camp. Charles Lodge, Gary Pippio, Dicky Nugent and Danny Kelsey were advanced near to a star scout.

The Frederic Boy Scouts had all the honors for the cleanest, best mannered and the most quiet camp site in the whole area.

We had a wonderful trip down and back. We would like to thank Charles Chapman for treating all of us to dinner on the way home. We had anything we wanted.

Charles Lodge, reporter.

**Maple Forest**  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver and family spent the weekend in Buchanan visiting relatives.

A special election to renew the Consumers Power Company Franchise will be held this Friday, August 5th at the Maple Forest Town Hall.

Mary, Benny and Johnny Redman are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Redman at their cottage at Round Lake.

Mrs. Ivan Hamblin was hostess to the Home-Extension Club on Tuesday night. After a short business meeting a report was given on the "Homemakers Conference" by delegates Joyce Reed and Dora Feldhauser. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 9th at the home of Mrs. Stanley Hummel.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Hummel are enjoying a two-weeks vacation visiting their respective families, the Stan Hummels and the Oscar Borchers in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Olson and boys of Flint are enjoying a few days vacation at their place here.

The Youth Fellowship Club of Frederic gathered at the George Bradstreet home on Thursday night for a going away party honoring their son, Gayle, who has enlisted in the Army and leaves for his physical on Monday.

Aubrey Welch is spending a few days visiting Larry Baynham.

Mary Beth, Benny and Johnnie Dale Redman are spending a week with their grandparents in Mesick.

Mr. and Mrs. Murland Reed and Jennie went to Flushing on Monday. Joyce and Jennie are staying a few days with the Lawrence Reeds.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knapp of Flint spent a few days with the H. E. Smiths last week.

Michael and Kerry Palmer were with their grandparents, the Ernest Winstons, last week.

Miss Janet Blauw visited relatives in Jackson for a week.

Mrs. J. W. Smith is with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stephan.

and is feeling much better. Mrs. Ellen Blauw has been spending some time with her son, Fred.

**L. N. League**  
Ladies National League Social Party was held last Wednesday evening at the Grange Hall. Mrs. Al Baginski and Mrs. Barton Wakeley were co-hostesses.

Pinochle and Bunco were enjoyed. Prizes for Pinochle were given to Mrs. Dolly Kennedy and Albert Charron for high. The low prizes to Mrs. Elmer Greenwell and Ed Chalker.

The Bunco prizes were awarded to Mrs. Bertha Williams and to Mrs. Cora Neal for high and low respectively.

The Penny prize was won by Erwin Wales.

The refreshment committee served ice cream and cake. This committee was Mrs. Hattie Mosher, Mrs. Russell Mosher, Mrs. Pearl Mathews and Mrs. Ken Moore.

**Our Gang**  
Our Gang met at the home of Hannah Baker on July 21st. During the business session it was decided to have the Annual Picnic August 18th at Hartwick Pines. Each to bring own table service and the lunch will be old fashioned Pot Luck.

Mrs. Claribel Goss will furnish the August birthday cake.

To meet at Mrs. Goss' promptly at 5:30 for transportation.

Mrs. Martie Corwin won the Penny prize.

The lunch was served by Mrs. Eureka Stephan and Mrs. Elizabeth Serven. The July birthday cake was furnished by Mrs. Marguerite Leslie.

Several readings were given by Mrs. Bonnie Wakeley.

A guest of the Club was Mrs. LaBarge.

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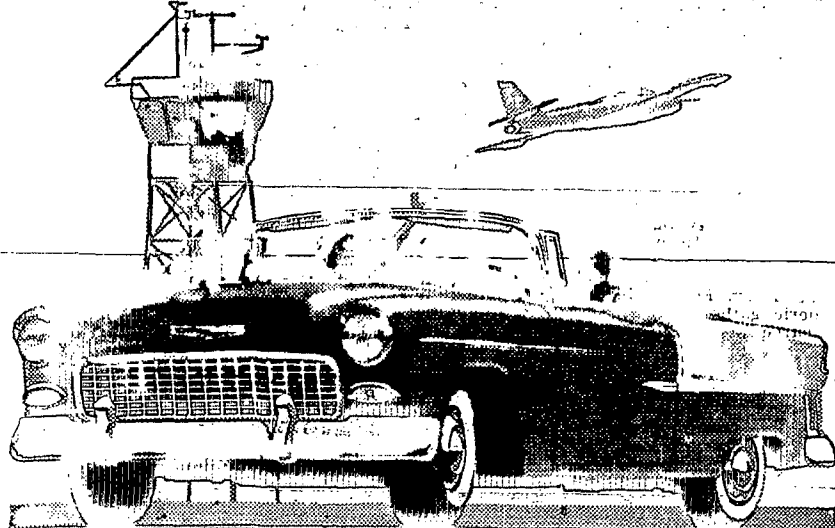
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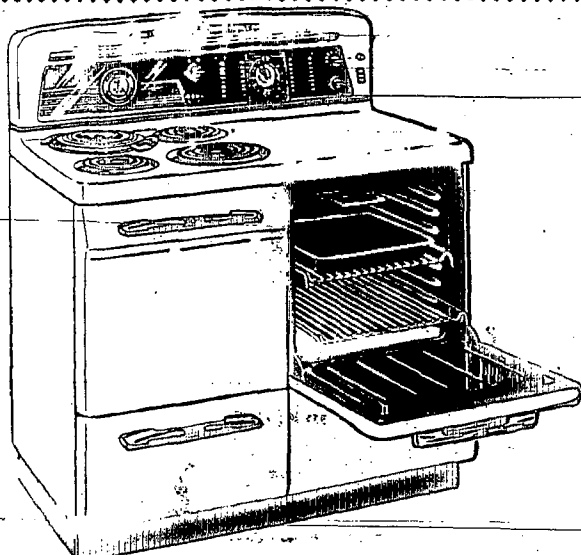
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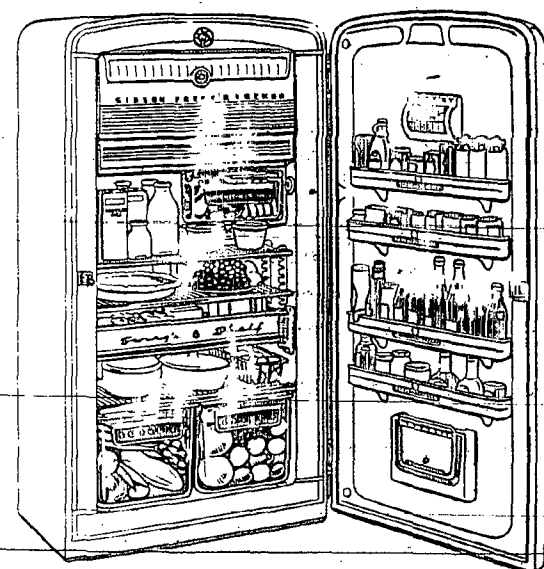
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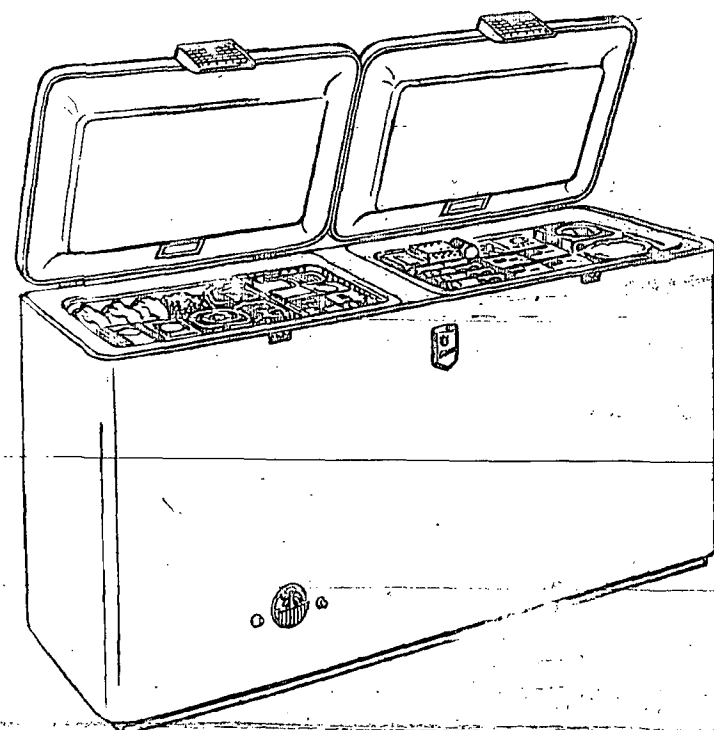
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Mrs. Gertrude Simon called Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Raabe.

Mrs. Sam Gust entertained the Just Up-Club at a picnic at Hartwick Pines Tuesday the 26th. Last Sunday, the Club and their husbands took a canoe trip down the Ausable. A lovely time was reported by all.

Mrs. Sophie Forsberg of Duluth, Minnesota is visiting her sister, Miss Martha Peterson, and Mrs. Christine Feldhauser of Maple Ford. Mrs. Ester Peterson of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. Hendee and daughters Joyce and Karen of Lansing were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hansine Hanson and family.

Mr. Larry Pond of Bay City spent last weekend visiting his parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pond and Cheryl and Candy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grice and daughters of Port Huron spent a few days last week visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hunter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nielsen left for their home in Saginaw after spending three weeks at Danish Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, and son Johnny and Mrs. Wesley Smith of Harbor Beach spent last week-end visiting Mr. Smith's sister, and Mrs. Smith's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hunter.

Mrs. Marie Hanson left Sunday for Saginaw where she will spend two weeks visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Waldemar Hanson.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson at the cabin on the East branch were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor of Grand Ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Pringle and family of Grand Rapids, Ohio are spending a week at their resort on Jones Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Skillman spent a few days in Ann Arbor last week.

Mrs. Franklin Hills spent last week in Birmingham visiting her mother Mrs. Lee Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lewis, of Detroit, who were married July 3rd in Angola, Indiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Marolf of Free-land were Sunday guests of the Stan Flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Matthes and daughter Carla and son David, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Milburn and son of Dearborn spent Tuesday visiting the Rev. Hollie Luters.

The two families are spending a week's vacation at Houghton Lake.

Mrs. Bernice Penhollow of Kalamazoo spent Monday in Grayling on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smock and daughter Cheryl and son Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Chappel spent Sunday at Camp Deertrails, near Harrison where they visited their daughter and granddaughter Linda Smock, who is spending two weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson and Margaret Gagan spent Sunday at Camp Deertrails near Harrison where they visited the Hanson's daughter Karen. Karen is spending two weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feldhauser and sons of Norway spent a few days here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser and Mr. and Mrs. William Golinick.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Roth and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Roth and two children all of Bay City spent last weekend visiting the Paul Feldhausers. On Monday the two families left for Grand Marais for some fishing, also while there they are going to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Feldhauser in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stripe and daughter Rhea, and the Misses Carmen Madsen, Carol Fenton, and Patsy Wiseman spent Sunday at Camp Deertrails near Harrison visiting Miss Cathy Stripe who is spending two weeks there.

Mr. A. F. Wilson of Detroit arrived last weekend to spend two weeks visiting his family at the home of Mrs. Wilson's mother Mrs. O. E. Michelson.

Rev. Dr. Ernest D. Nielsen, President of Grand View College and Seminary in Des Moines, Iowa, was a recent caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Raabe. While here he also called on Rev. and Mrs. Hans Juhl, and Mr. and Mrs. Jens Sorenson at Danish Landing.

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John Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wilson, and Miss Portia Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Peterson, were 9 and 2 respectively last Friday.

The occasion was celebrated by a swimming party at Lake Margrethe, which was attended by fifteen children. A delicious lunch was served and the two children received many lovely gifts.

Mr. Anker Schlotz of Detroit is spending some time visiting his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Staagaard at Danish Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair R. Vanderlip of Greenville called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson while visiting her brother and family, the Russell Jensen's at Danish Landing.

The Danish Ladies Aid enjoyed a potluck picnic at Hartwick Pines on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wolfe of Detroit arrived last weekend to spend

two weeks visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bielski and Marvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald E. Lang of Holly spent the week end at their home near Stephens road.

2nd Lt. and Mrs. Bruce Carlson are spending some time here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carlson. The young Carlsons arrived here from Fort Belvoir, Virginia. They left for St. Louis Monday to spend a few days visiting relatives, returning Thursday. They then left for Fort Richardson, near Anchorage, Alaska, Friday where Lt. Carlson will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gothro, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson, and Miss Nellie Loss spent Sunday evening in Traverse City where they attended the play "The Constant Wife" starring Sylvia Sidney at the Chervland Playhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wakeley are the proud parents of a baby daughter born July 29 who will be known as Susanne Marie. The little miss weighed 7 lb. 3 oz.

The happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ireland of South Branch and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Wakeley.

Mrs. Helen Routier drove to Traverse City to meet her son, Ralph, who arrived by plane from Oakland, California, to spend two weeks. Other guests of Mrs. Routier are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodson, Jr. of Salisbury, North Carolina, and her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curd, Jr. and Tommy of Roanoke, Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lampert of Salisbury, are expected for the week end.

Mrs. Caroline Piper arrived on Tuesday from Detroit to spend some time visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Piper, and Holly.

Capt. and Mrs. Michel Steeger and children Linda and Shannon are here visiting the Fox Bears. Capt. Steeger just graduated from Squadron Officers School at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama, and was given a months leave before reporting to Bryan Air Base in Texas.

Sgt. and Mrs. James Burtch and family have returned to their home in Newburg, Indiana, he after spending two weeks at Camp Grayling. Mrs. Burtch and the children spent the time with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pratt.

Raylene LaBrash of Detroit is enjoying the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. Josephine LaBrash.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and family left Saturday to spend the rest of the summer in the U. P. Coach. Smith is to attend coaching school for a week in Marquette, then the Smiths are going on to Lake Linden to visit Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Clarence Duquith. The Smiths will then go on to Escanaba to visit Mrs. Smith's mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Soderberg.

## Beaver Creek

The Pure-Oil camp families enjoyed an ice cream lawn party Friday evening in behalf of Gary Atkin's departure for the Navy. Everyone enjoyed the party and Gary was greatly pleased when Shirley Harney presented him with a \$25 war bond from the following: the Bob Hunters, the Sam Sherwoods, the Minnear family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bonar and Pop, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Snyder and Chuck, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hock. Miss Jean Malloy was a guest of the party also.

Miss Jo Hunter is in Mt. Pleasant Community Hospital after having surgery performed. We wish her a speedy recovery. Mrs. Bob Hunter is also at Mt. Pleasant with Jo caring for her while she is ill. Miss Jane Hunter spent the week end in Beaver Creek and Mr. Pleasant where she visited her sister and father.

Last Wednesday evening the following enjoyed a swim and hamburger fry at Higgins Lake. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harney, Jack and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Atkins, Dean, Linda and Gary, and Sally Minnear and Miss Jean Malloy from Grayling.

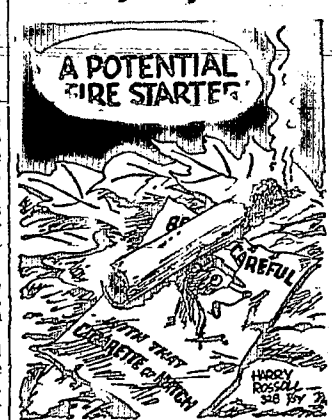
Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Larson of Lansing were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Snyder of Beaver Creek.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harney and family, the Jack Minnear and the Atkins enjoyed a swim at Higgins Lake.

Mrs. R. N. Wert of Mt. Pleasant was a visitor in Beaver Creek one day last week.

Bette Harney spent the week end with her parents in Beaver Creek.

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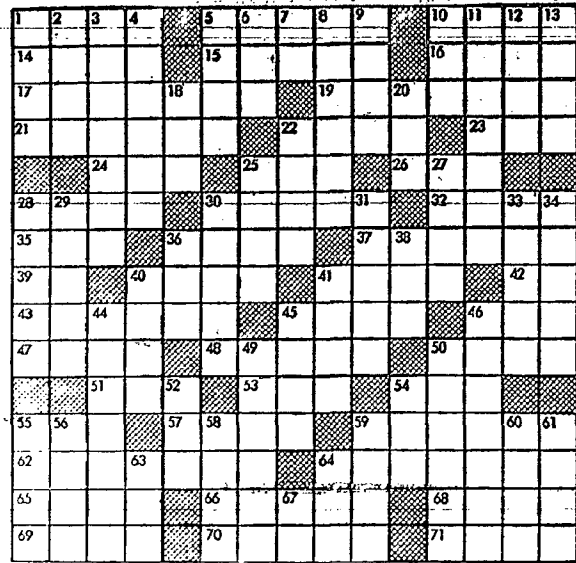
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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 7th day of July, 1955.

Present: Hon. Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Niels Hansen Nielsen, deceased.

Laura McLeod having filed in said Court her final administration account and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 8th day of August, 1955, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate. 14-21-28-4

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 14th day of July 1955.

Present: Hon. Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry A. Bauman, Deceased.

Jess Schoonover having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who are the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 8th day of August 1955 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate

A true copy.  
Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate 21-28-4

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

In the Matter of the Estate of Timothy Judson Williams, Deceased.

At a session of said Court held on July 18, 1955.

Present, Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby Given, That all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear before said Probate Court on the 15th day of August 1955 at 10 A. M. to show cause why a license should be granted to Charles E. Moore, administrator of said estate, to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate described in said petition, for the purpose of distribution to heirs.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate

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To the Owner or Owners of any and all Interests in or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

Take Notice: That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued herefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with fifty per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, which fee shall be the same as provided by law for service of subpoenas or for orders of publication or the cost of such service by registered mail, and the further sum of five dollars for each acre of land.

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State of Michigan, County of Crawford.

Description of Land—East 1/2 of Northeast 1/4 of Section 30, Town 27, Range 3, except M-76 right of way. Amount paid \$12.12. Tax for year 1951.

Amount necessary to redeem \$24.39 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Lawrence Hunter and Eleanor I. Hunter, Grayling, Michigan.

To Ralph M. Kriesler of 1774 N. Del Mar, So. San Gabriel, Calif., and Albert Craig of 4352 S. Grandwood Ave., Chicago 15, Illinois, last grantees in the regular chain of title of such lands, or of any interest therein, as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, at the date of the delivery of this notice to the Sheriff for service.

28-4-11-18

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 14th day of July 1955.

Present: Hon. Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar Hanson, Deceased.

Jess Schoonover having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who are the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 8th day of August 1955 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate

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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 14th day of July 1955.

Present: Hon. Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar Hanson, Deceased.

Jess Schoonover having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who are the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 8th day of August 1955 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate

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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 28th day of July 1955.

Present: Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edgar J. Strawbridge, deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should

be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims by demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 10th day of October, 1955, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

BEULAH NEAFIE, Judge of Probate

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Sun. Masses — 7:00, 8:30, 10 & 11 Holydays — 6:00, 8:00, 9:00. Weekdays — 7:30.

Door Hunting Season Sunday Masses — 5:30, 8:30, 10:30. Confessions

Saturdays — 4:00, to 5:00 and 7:30 to 8:30.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH Pastor, Rev. R. C. Puffer

Church School — 9:45 A. M. Divine Worship — 11:00 A. M. Youth Fellowship — 6:30 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF FREDERIC John L. Weld, Pastor

Sunday — 9:45 Bible School 11:00 Morning Worship 7:00 Training Union 8:00 Evening Service Wednesday — 8:00 Prayer and Bible Study

FREE METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Wayne Root

301 Shellenburg St. Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:00 A. M. Youth Fellowship 7:30 P. M. Evening Service, 8:00 P. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:30 P. M.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Corner Plush and Smith St. Pastor, Merle Howard

Church School — 10:00 A. M. Preaching — 11:00 A. M. Mid-week service, Prayer 7:30 to 8:15, Discussion and Study Class 8:15 to 9:00 P. M.

GRAYLING LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. John Enselmann Phone 2541

Worship service — 11 A. M. Sunday School — 9:45 A. M.

MESSIAH LUTHERAN CHURCH Roscommon Rev. John Enselmann Phone 2541

Worship service — 9:30 A. M. Sunday School — 10:30 A. M.

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Rev. Gordon H. Light, Pastor Sunday School — 10:00 A. M. Divine Service — 11:15 A. M.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Chestnut St. and US-27 Rev. Hollie M. Luter

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Worship Service, 11:00 a. m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m. Young People's 8:00 p. m. Monday.

Mid-Week Services Prayer and Everybody's Bible Class, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

Seventh-Day Adventist 306 Park St. M. E. Lowry, Pastor.

Phone 4866 Sabbath School, 1:45 p. m. (Sat.) Church Service, 2:45 p. m. (Sat.)

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11:00 A. M., Sunday School 6:00 P. M., Chapel Service.

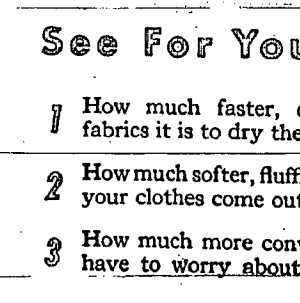
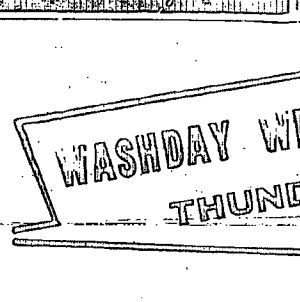
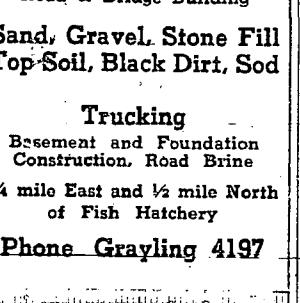
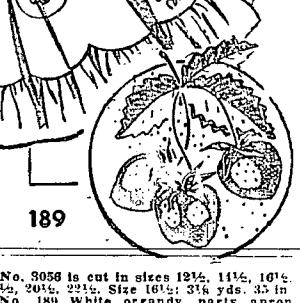
"ASSEMBLY OF GOD" Rev. Daniel Kolenda, Pastor

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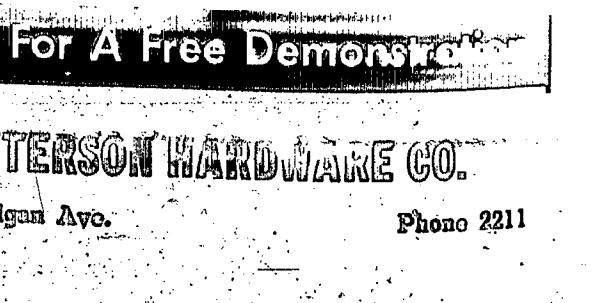
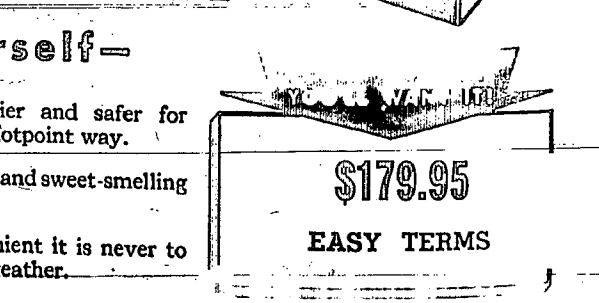
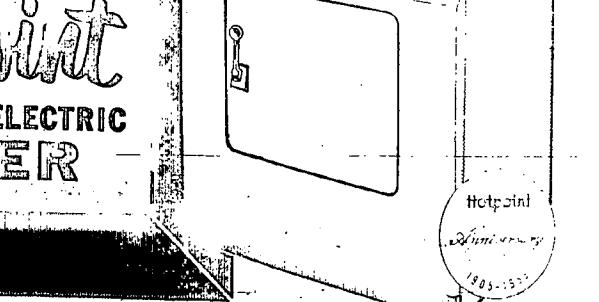
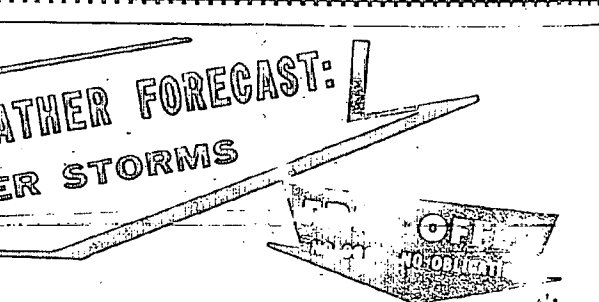
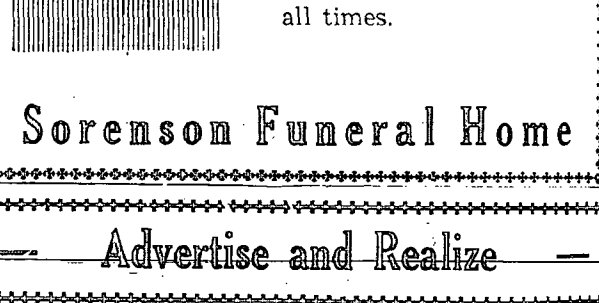
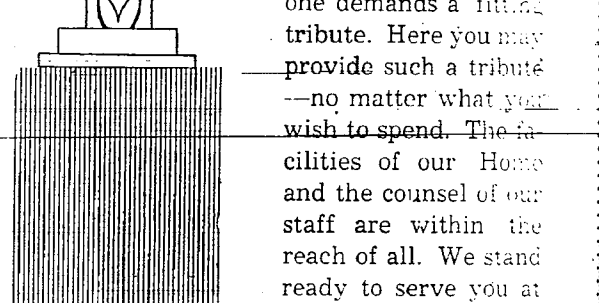
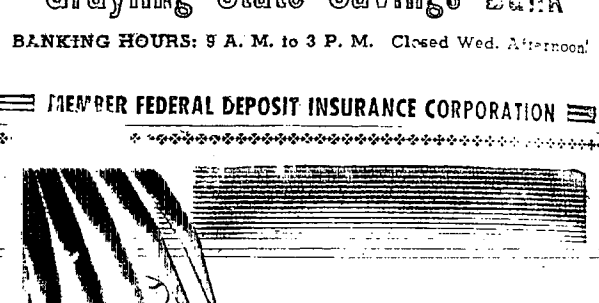
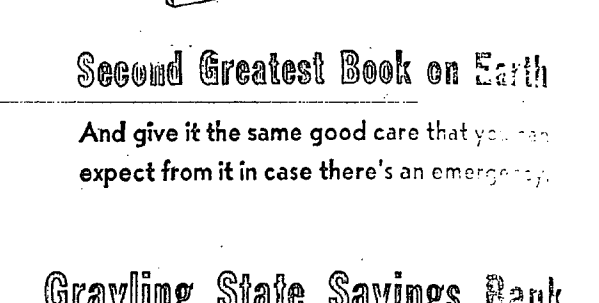
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## BITS O' TALK

Cpl. George Kessler left today (Thursday) for Fort Meyer, Virginia after spending a thirty day furlough visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kessler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Schanbiter, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Flynn and daughter Margaret Mary all of Chicago spent Sunday through Thursday here visiting their many friends. While here they stayed at the Williamson Hotel.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. William LaRush last Sunday, the 24th were his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Powers of Buffalo, New York.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crouch and family this week are her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Albin Byars and daughter, Sharon of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Ferguson and daughter Patty and son Jerry of Detroit spent from Saturday through Wednesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Henning.

Word has been received of the sale of the Cornell cottage at Lake Margrethe to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rasinen of Detroit. Mrs. Rasinen is a sister of Miss Frances May and Frank May.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Henning and son Joel of Detroit arrived last Thursday to spend sometime visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Henning.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Dearborn spent Friday, the 22nd visiting the William Schriebers.

Mrs. Willard Cornell and daughters Barbara and Nancy, and Mrs. Cornell's mother Mrs. Joseph Freeman spent Tuesday the 26th in Alpena visiting Mrs. Freeman's sister and brother, Mrs. Vincent Collins and Mr. Roy Kilen.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McGuire, Jr., of Flint are spending their vacation at their cabin on the main stream of the Au Sable.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wells and daughter Vickie Lynn of Lansing spent the weekend visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, Jr., and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells, and Mrs. Hurl Deckrow. Their nephew Jay Mathews of Rosecommon returned with them to Lansing to spend some time visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClain and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Sorenson and Twila visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jensen in Detroit recently.

Mrs. Gail Davidson and little daughter, Gay Elizabeth, returned home last week after visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stirling and family in Saginaw.

Mike Brenner and his daughter, Mrs. Wesley Woods of Flint are spending the summer at the Brenner cottage at Lake Margrethe. Cal Brenner spent a week with them, returning to Flint on Thursday.

Guests of Mrs. Woods last week were Mrs. Roy Morrison, Mrs. Jim Shreve, Mrs. Jack Kelly and Mrs. Stuart Norwood.

The red raspberries are ripe in Cheboygan so Mr. and Mrs. William Christenson and Miss Eunice Schreiber spent Wednesday of last week there to get some.

Mrs. Wesley Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. James Washom and daughter, Maureen all of Jackson spent last week end visiting Mrs. Florence McDonald at Mac's Island.

Mrs. Ernest Hoseli left Friday to spend the week end visiting friends in Rudyard. While away Mrs. Hoseli will attend her class reunion in Sault Ste. Marie, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward and son, Bruce, of Saginaw are spending some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bilsby and son. Bruce is the little boy who had the misfortune to fall in the Au Sable River last week while fishing off the foot bridge near the dam. Mr. Al Ridley pulled the boy out.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gallardo, all of Pontiac, recently visited the Claude Cardinals, Tom Wells and the Vern Perrys.

John Stephan and Bernice Fowler have torn down the old foot bridge across the Au Sable at Edgewater. The bridge was an old landmark but lately had proved to be an obstacle to canoe-

ists in that it lay so near the water. On some week ends several canoes overturned at that point, and the club managers decided it should be demolished.

Mr. and Mrs. George March of near Pontiac stopped one day last week to call on the Claude Cardinals on their way to L'Anse.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Bretz of Dearborn were overnight guests last Monday at the William Schriebers. The Bretzes had just returned from a vacation trip to Montana and the west coast.

A birthday celebration was in store for Mrs. Pauline Edmonds and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber last Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Severn. A dinner was held for the family and a few friends of the honored women. A lovely gift was received by each from the group.

Calvin Schrieber, who has been stationed at Camp Pendleton, California, arrived home to spend a thirty day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schrieber. Calvin had just returned from 2 1/2 years duty with the United States Marine Corps in Korea and Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bower of Cass City are spending two weeks at their summer home on the Au Sable. Mrs. Bower, while here, is doing oil paintings of the Au Sable.

Mrs. Louise Hill of Prudenville and guest, Mrs. Ethel Moore of Detroit were Tuesday guests at the home of Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schrieber.

Mayor A. I. Roberts spent Friday in Gaylord assisting in the dedication of the broadcasting tower of WATC. This year marks the fifth anniversary of the above radio station.

Mrs. Glen Fenton and daughters, Barbara and Peggy, and Mrs. Rex Hawkins left Monday, the 25th for Muskegon, where Mrs. Hawkins is spending some time visiting her sister. Mrs. Fenton and daughters then continued on to Grand Haven where they visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Parnell, and then to Grand Rapids, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid. The Fentons returned home last Wednesday.

S. A. Lloyd Crawford arrived home from New York City, N. Y., after making a cruise to Cuba on the ship Bennington. Lloyd is spending a few days leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Crawford and family of Marysville, Missouri, left after spending two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford of Royal Oak spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford.

Mrs. Jack Fenton and son, Bob, left Monday for Grand Bend, Ontario, Canada to spend the week visiting her husband who is drilling for an oil company there.

Mrs. George Nichols of Santa Monica, California, spent Friday afternoon at the Glen Fentons.

Dr. Dennis Day and Mrs. Jack Dibble left Friday for Willow Run, where they will meet Mrs. Dibble's husband, who arrived from Hollywood, Florida, Saturday to spend a month with Mrs. Dibble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day. Dr. Day and Mr. and Mrs. Dibble drove on to Toledo, Ohio, where they will spend a few days visiting, then are returning to Grayling.

Mrs. Russell Scholtens and daughter, Becky, arrived at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin last Saturday from Marquette, where they had been visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scholtens.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Park of Richmond, West Virginia spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. Louis Hayes and family.

Terry and John Wright of Detroit are spending some time visiting their aunt and cousins, Mrs. Louis Hayes and family. The boys are working at the PX at Camp Grayling while here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and family of Detroit are spending some time visiting her father, Mr. Ralph Redhead.

Mrs. Robert Hanna of Flint has arrived at her summer home on the Au Sable, Tah-Won-Hee, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Richards of Lapeer arrived last Wednesday at their summer home on the Au Sable, after spending some time at their home in Lapeer.

A stock shower was held at the home of Mrs. Gerald McEvers on Thursday, the 28th in honor of Mrs. Robert Lutz. The shower was given by the ladies of the Calvary Baptist Church. Delores received many lovely gifts. A lovely lunch of cake and ice cream was served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morris (Gean Wolff) announce the birth of a son, Robert Archer, on the 1st of July in Fort Wayne, Indiana. Little Robert weighed 8 pounds and 15 ounces at birth. The happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolff, Jr., and Mrs. Nell Morris of South Bend, Indiana.

Mrs. Bertha William is convalescing nicely from having the flu some time ago.

## High Mass Unite Cluff-Covey

High School and Aquinas College. The groom, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Covey attended Catholic Central in Grand Rapids.

Among those present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cluff and Mrs. Eugene Hiller of Clawson, Mrs. Charlotte Wright and Mrs. Ida Cook of Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kammen of Angola, Indiana.

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## BITS O' TALK

Mr. Esbern Hanson Jr. of Bay City spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson and guests were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith at their cabin on Big Creek last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Arleen Barker returned last Friday evening after 10 day vacation. She accompanied her sister, Mrs. Lottie Grohman to Niagara Falls going through Canada and returning through New York state and home by Pennsylvania Turnpike. Mrs. Barker reports the East as being extremely dry with stream beds practically all dried up. The day they arrived at Watkins Glen, N. Y., the thermometer registered 100 degrees. Mrs. Grohman returned to her work at Shaw Dormitory at Michigan State University this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Jones, he formerly director of Underground Water Control for the State of Pennsylvania with offices at Harrisburg, have reached their new home for the next two years at Calcutta, India. They left the States on July 10th and the entire trip was made by air. Mrs. Jones is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Lottie Grohman of Lansing and also a niece of Mrs. Barker and cousin of Dr. Stanley A. Stealy of Graying.

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Mrs. Warner Larson and Mrs. Ray McDonald of Oquoss were luncheon guests of the J. L. Martins last Saturday en route to Lake Louise to pick up the latter's daughter who had been attending the Baptist Church Camp.

Guests at the Walter Eatons on Park Street over the week end were their sons Elmer of Hammond, Indiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eaton of Griffith, Indiana, both of whom arrived Friday.

Saturday a niece of Mrs. Eaton's, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bush and daughter Carol of Pinconning arrived for the day. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eaton and family left Saturday for Afton, where they will spend sometime visiting Mrs. Eaton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Hungerford. Sunday, Elmer Eaton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eaton journeyed to Afton, where they spent the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Don Akers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert O. Buellman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice and family of Detroit are spending some time at the Buellman cottage at Lake Margrethe upon their return from Torch Lake where they had spent a week.

At the card tournament at the Graying Golf Club Monday evening, Mrs. Roy Mines was high and Mrs. Loren Douglas, low at bridge. Mr. and Mrs. R. Estleman of Whitmore Lake spent the week end at their home here on Plum Street.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hull for the last ten days, were her mother, Mrs. Jenny Tinson, of Gibraltar, Michigan and Mrs. Hull's sister-in-law, Mrs. Nellie Tinson of Auburn, Florida. Mrs. Nellie Tinson left last week end to go on to Gibraltar to visit on her way to Florida and on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hull accompanied her mother to Alpena, where she will spend some time visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tinson. While in Alpena, the family celebrated Mrs. Tinson's 85th birthday with a big Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ketzel and their niece and nephew, Rita Marie and James Richards III, of Dayton, Ohio, are spending three weeks at the Richard's cottage on Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Olson and sons, Jimmy and Rodger of Flint, were guests of the Lee Hulls for a few days last week. The Olsons stayed at their own 40 acres in their guest cabin.

Friday guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Henig and family were Dr. and Mrs. George Stump and five children of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rickard of Detroit were guests last week of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Rickard at Lake Margrethe. Also visiting the Rickard's last week was his daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Wagner and twins of Ann Arbor. Mr. Rickard accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rickard and Miss Peggy Snyder accompanied Miss Snyder to Camp Minnawaco near Stony Lake, Michigan, where Miss Snyder will be spending two weeks.

Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. Wilcox returned Monday. Mr. Snyder returned to his home in Bay City Tuesday after spending the week end visiting his family here.

Mrs. Marie Hanson was hostess for the regular meeting of the Ladies Aid at her home last Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emory Mowbray and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Binnis all of Detroit are spending the week end at Danish Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jensen of Detroit were visitors for a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Austin and little son, Keith also spent a week with her parents, the Jensons. On Sunday little Keith, 5 months old, was baptized at Michelson Memorial

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE "AVALANCHE"

Church by the Rev. R. C. Puffer. Guests last Wednesday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh and daughter were Mr. and Mrs. Rush Gannon and children of Toledo.

Mrs. Rose Sheets of Detroit spent Monday and Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Quinn and Gary.

Mrs. Leonard Allison and daughters Carolyn and Belle and son Newton returned last week after Carolyn spent three weeks, and Mrs. Allison and Newton and Belle had spent one week visiting her father, Mr. Fred K. Rayson in Poland, Ohio.

Guests of Mr. George Hatfield at his trailer home this past week were his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wickhorst and three sons of Detroit. The Wickhorst family returned to their home last Saturday.

Mrs. William Murray and family of Grand Rapids are spending some time visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McPeters and Vicki and also are visiting.

## Our Weather

(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

July	High	Low
26	89	55
27	88	50
28	88	50
29	90	47
30	93	55
31	97	63
Aug. 1	97	66

Rainfall  
Courtesy George Schaible  
July 31 . . . . .02

## Building Permits For July

Clare Patch, repair work at 201 Peninsular. Dale Chappel, repair work at 704 Maple. Robert La Chapple, siding home at 208 Peninsular. Wesley Kumpala, siding home at 505 Maple. Earl Broadbent, repair work at 404

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

Some readers inquire "What will be effect of GAW, or Guaranteed Annual Wage principle negotiated by Walter Reuther?"

It would take a crystal ball to predict the eventual outcome of this arrangement.

As long as car sales hold up, there is no great problem. True test will come when and if C. W. Harder market slumps.

Obviously, if condition is reached whereby auto workers will be paid for many months for doing nothing, it is quite certain general economic conditions will also be down.

In a falling market, it is classic procedure to stimulate business by offering greater values than enjoyed in boom times.

But question arises as to just how this can be accomplished in automobile industry under terms of this contract. Assume a fall of sales requires cutting back production fifty per cent with like reduction in work force.

Fifty per cent of the work force remaining will still cost the industry the same amount of money per wage hour for building up guaranteed wage fund as when full employment existed. Thus, auto industry could be faced with choice of operating at a loss, or keep running at full capacity until a big inventory is built up, then closing down completely, excepting any wage or welfare payments.

But in such an event, because many other industries depend on auto business, a severe depression could result. So it is not

unlikely to prevent a general collapse government might develop an automotive price support program similar to farm programs. This could lead to American socialization.

There is another factor in situation, that revolves around the "Forgotten Man" of automotive industry, the independent auto dealer. He is guaranteed nothing, despite his investment.

In past three years, when minor slumps occurred in auto market, it came out of dealers' hides, who, to maintain franchise, were expected to keep selling cars, regardless of profit.

And thereby rests whole future of automotive industry. Regardless of production facilities, engineering skills in Detroit, or caliber of workers, the assembly lines are but idle, useless junk without widespread corps of dealers to sell that production, to "wheel and deal" in the market place to keep production sold, to send cash to the factory to meet payroll.

So, it is possible the time will come when auto industry will give a perfect example of weakness or virtue monopoly in any field. Obviously, it takes a huge labor organization to negotiate with huge motor firms.

Yet huge auto makers and huge auto labor, seemingly overlook most basic point about their common industry. The entire tremendous structure all depends on health of a large network of independent dealers.

And car dealers are guaranteed nothing. So the independent car dealer was the little man who wasn't there when GAW was negotiated, yet in final analysis, he supports both management and labor. And until such time as management and labor gives full recognition to this fact, they are just kidding each other.

## Softball League

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the following night, Bob Gildner turned in his second win in two days as he pitched six-hit ball. Bill Hall had two of the six hits off Gildner.

In their third win the Black and White managed to down Frederic 12-11 after almost blowing the game in the last inning. After the first two batters went out, Frederic came on to score six runs before the third man was retired. John Schofield pitched and added two hits in the win. Bob Gildner hit his third home run to center field, John Mertes and John Rolfe had two hits each for Frederic.

St. Mary's lost their second game of the week to Camp Lehman on Bill Arnold's three hitter. Loser Leo Lovely allowed only four hits, but walks and alert base running enabled the Jets to win. Lee Henry, with two for two was the leading Lehman hitter. Ted Davenport was on every-time for St. Mary's.

An All-Star game, with the Western division composed of Black and White, LaVictoire and Frederic taking on the Western division of St. Mary's, Maple Forest and Lehman, has been set for Labor Day. Players and the field will be announced soon.

Standings  
Black & White 11 2  
Camp Lehman 11 3 1/2  
Camp LaVic. 8 4 2 1/2  
St. Mary's 6 5 4 1/2  
Maple Forest 2 12 9 1/2  
Frederic 1 12 10

This Week's Games  
Thurs.—Maple Forest at C. Leh. Fri.—B. & W. at Camp LaVic. Fri.—St. Mary's at Frederic

Next Week  
Mon.—Frederic at Camp Lehman Tues.—St. Mary's at Camp LaVic. Tues.—B. & W. at Maple Forest Wed.—B. & W. at Camp LaVic.

Batting  
Miller—St. M. 430  
Roberts—LaV. 412  
Bauman—St. M. 405  
Peterson—Frederic 382  
Dobson—Maple Forest 372

League's Leaders  
Hits—Robert LaV. 21  
Singles—Miller—St. M. 14  
Doubles—McLaughlin—LaV. 7  
Triples—Dobson—M. F. 3  
Home runs—Gildner B & W 3  
Runs—Jorgenson—B & W 19  
Walks—Kaiser—Frederic 16  
Pitching—Schofield—B & W 6-0

## Michigan Guards

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reorganized as the 2nd Infantry Regiment. On April 22, 1915, the unit was redesignated as the 32nd Infantry Regiment. On July 1, 1916, the Regiment was mustered into Federal Service at Camp Graying for service on the Mexican border. On February 15, 1917, they were mustered out of Federal Service at Fort Wayne. On July 15, 1917, they were again taken into Federal Service. On September 22, 1917, the Regiment was redesignated as the 126th Infantry, 32nd Division. In June 1919, the Regiment was demobilized at Camp Custer. On June 10, 1921, the Regiment was reorganized and federally recognized. On October 5, 1940, inducted into the Federal Service. On February 28, 1946, the Regiment was inactivated at Kokura.

Japan. On December 20, 1944, the Regiment was again reorganized and assigned to the 46th Infantry Division.

The Regiment is officially credited with having part in the following battles in the Civil War: Bull Run, Peninsula, Manassas, Gettysburg, Wilderness, Spotsylvania, Cold Harbor and Albemarle. In World War I the Regiment was engaged in the following battles: Alsace, Meuse-Argonne, In World War II the Regiment were in campaigns: Papua, New Guinea, Luzon and Leyte.

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